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Reply to Examiner's Request of 20 December 2005

REMARKS


This paper is in response to the Examiner's request, made by telephone call on today's date, to Applicant's Attorney, Toby Kusmer, in the matter of the above-identified reissue application. As requested, a complete listing of all claims pending in the application, marked in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.173(d), is included in this paper.

Claims 1-20 are pending in the application. Claims 1-8 issued in U.S. Patent No. 6,318,171. Claims 9-20 were added by the present reissue application. Applicant notes that the claim listing in the application as filed on 20 November 2003 and amended on 28 December 2004 inadvertently omitted number 11 from the claim sequence. The present listing of claims correctly rennumbers the claims.

The Applicant respectfully submits that all claims pending in the application are in condition for allowance, and requests a Notice of Allowability for the application. If a telephone conference will expedite prosecution of the application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned. If any fees are required for further prosecution, authorization is hereby given to charge our deposit account no. 50-1133.

Respectfully submitted,
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